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Mission

Provide superior technology, acquisition support and logistics to ensure dominant land force capability for Soldiers, the United States and our Allies.

"If a Soldier shoots it, drives it, flies it, wears it, or eats it, Army Materiel Command provides it."

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"Providing Support to the Joint Warfighter"

AVENUES OF CHANGE

Transforming Army Materiel Command from an organization that is "Production-based, commodity-focused, and platform-centric" to one that is

"Service-based, capabilities-focused, and unit-centric" -- GWOT

ORGANIZATIONAL CHANGE

- Life-Cycle Management Commands
- Army Sustainment Command
- Army Field Support Brigades
- Brigade Logistic Support Teams
- Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC)
- Surface Deployment and Distribution
- Human Capital Strategy

End State: **"Cradle-to-Grave Capabilities Support"**

CULTURE OF INNOVATION

- Lean Six Sigma
- Depot Commanders Course
- Outreach to Industry
- Partnerships
- Performance Based Logistics
- Rapid Review Teams
- R&D/Technology to the Warfighter
- Army's Greatest Inventions

End State: **"Efficient Production Processes"**

COMPLEX SERVICES

- Support to ARFORGEN
- Forward Repair Activities
- Unit-focused RESET
- Small Arms Repair Teams
- Left-Behind Equipment
- Theater Provided Equipment
- Add-on-Armor / Safety
- LOGCAP & Contingency Contracting
- Fleet Management
- Industrial Capabilities
- Ammunition Enterprise
- Chemical Storage & Demil

End State: **"Customer Focused Solutions"**

KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT

- Factory-to-Foxhole Visibility
- Single Army Logistics Enterprise
- Condition-Based Maintenance
- System of Systems Integration (SOSI)
- Lessons Learned
- Quantitative Metrics and Analysis

End State: **"Data Driven Decisions"**